

### **REMARKS**

In the Office Action, the specification was objected to as failing to provide proper antecedent basis for the claimed subject matter. Claims 1, 3, 5, 7-9 and 11-14 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

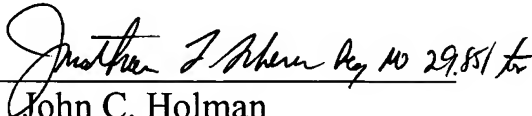
In response to the Office Action, the specification has been amended and claims 1, 7 and 12 have been amended to overcome the noted informalities. Accordingly, the application should now be in condition for allowance.

Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the present application should now be in condition for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is in order, and such favorable action and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

However, if after reviewing the above amendments and remarks, the Examiner has any questions or comments, he is cordially invited to contact the undersigned attorneys.

Respectfully submitted,

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